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In re application of: Bailey III et al.

Attorney Docket No.: LAM1P123/P0557

Application No.: 09/470,236

Examiner: Alejandro Mulero, Luz L.

Filed: November 15, 1999

Group: 1763

Title: PLASMA PROCESSING SYSTEM WITH
DYNAMIC GAS DISTRIBUTION CONTROL

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed March 9, 2006 finally rejecting Claims 1-10, 16-17, 19, 23-25, 28-33, 35-36, 42-45, 48, 50, 54 and 57-75.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Appeal Fee: ☐ \$250.00 (Small Entity) ☒ \$500.00 (Large Entity)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply:

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR

1.17(a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

☐ An extension for _____ month(s) has already been secured and the fee paid therefor is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Total Fee Due

Notice of Appeal Fee	\$500.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$
Total Fee Due	\$500.00

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